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TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) by Express Mail is the complete patent application of: Josephus Christianus Maria Smeekens, Michael Johannes Marcus Ebskamp, Hendrikus Andrianus Maria Geerts, Petrus Jacobus Weisbeek, entitled PRODUCTION OF OLIGOSACCHARIDES IN TRANSGENIC PLANTS, executed on August 1, 1995 and August 3, 1995.

- X 1a. This application is a continuation of prior Application No. 09/193,385, filed February 5, 1998, which is a continuation of prior Application No. 08/479,470, filed June 5, 1995, priority from the filing date of which is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120. [Note: add cross-reference to specification upon filing or by amendment.] *per paper # 8*
- X 1b. A copy of the request for a three-month extension of time (including Check No. 114747 in the amount of \$870.00) to extend pendency of the prior application to at least the filing date of this application is enclosed.
- X 2. An application consisting of 36 pages of specification and claims and 15 sheets of informal drawings is attached.
- 3a. A newly executed Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- X 3b. A copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney filed in prior application Serial No. 08/479,470 is attached. [Note: This application is a continuation or divisional, no new matter has been added to this application, and no new inventors have been named.]
- i. Please delete the following inventor(s) named in the prior application, such deleted person(s) not being an inventor of the subject matter claimed herein:
- ii. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of this application and is hereby incorporated by reference herein.

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- _____ 3c. A Declaration and Power of Attorney is not attached. Please file this application in the name of the inventors listed above (full names of all).
- _____ 4a. An Assignment of the invention to _____, is attached. A Cover Sheet prepared in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.31 is attached to the Assignment. Please record this Assignment in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.11.
- X 4b. The prior application was assigned to Stichting Scheikundig Onderzoek in Nederland, on October 23, 1995, by an assignment recorded at reel 7686/frame 0055.
- X 5. A filing date in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 is requested. The Express Mail Certificate appears below.
- X 6. Priority of Application No. NL1000064, filed on May 4, 1995, in The Netherlands and Application No. NL9401140 filed on August 7, 1994, in The Netherlands is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119. Certified copies of the priority documents were provided in related U.S. Application Serial No. 08/479,470.
- X 7. The following additional documents are enclosed: 15 sheets of substitute informal drawings.
- _____ 8a. A Small Entity Statement is attached.
- _____ 8b. A Small Entity Statement was filed in the prior application. Small entity status is still proper and desired in this application.
- X 8c. A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed. Please enter the Amendment before calculation of the filing fees due.

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- X 9. Our check No. 114895 in the amount of \$690 to cover the total fee as computed above and the fee for recordation of assignment is enclosed.

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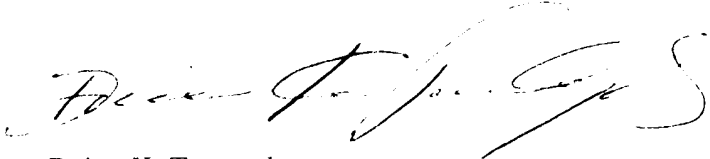
- _____ 10. No fee is enclosed.
- X 11. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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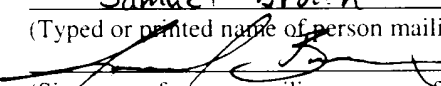

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